# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

JANINE ALI CASE NO.: 1:14-CV-01615

Plaintiff,

v.

ELI LILLY AND COMPANY, an Indiana corporation,

Defendant.

PARTIES' JOINT STATEMENT OF UNCONTESTED FACTS

#### A. The Parties

- 1. Plaintiff Janine Ali is a resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- 2. Defendant Eli Lilly and Company is an Indiana corporation with its headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana.
  - 3. Eli Lilly and Company will be referred to as "Lilly."
- 4. The Court has subject matter jurisdiction, as well as personal jurisdiction over Lilly.

## B. Background

- 5. Cymbalta is the trade name (or brand name) of a prescription medication, the active ingredient of which is duloxetine hydrochloride. It is also commonly referred to as duloxetine.
  - 6. Cymbalta is a serotonin norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor ("SNRI").
- 7. Lilly researched, tested, developed, manufactured, labeled, marketed, and sold Cymbalta.

## C. Cymbalta Indications and Approvals

- 8. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") approved Cymbalta in 2004 for the treatment of Major Depressive Disorder ("MDD") and Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathic Pain ("DPNP").
- 9. The FDA approved Cymbalta in 2007 for the treatment of Generalized Anxiety Disorder ("GAD").
  - 10. The FDA approved Cymbalta in 2008 for the treatment of fibromyalgia.
- 11. The FDA approved Cymbalta in 2010 for the treatment of chronic musculoskeletal pain.

### D. <u>Cymbalta Labels</u>

- 12. A version of the United States Package Insert ("USPI") for Cymbalta was issued on September 7, 2011, and is numbered PV 7219 AMP.
- 13. On August 24, 2012, the FDA approved a Medication Guide for Cymbalta, which is numbered PV 7091 AMP.

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